Investment in Super Bazar during Eighth Plan Period

2170. SHRI GOPALSINH G. SOLANKI: Will the Minister of CIVIL SUPPLIES, CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) the estimates of Private, Public and Government investment in Super Bazar during the Eighth Plan;

(b) the details of projects/schemes cleared by Government and the proposals under consideration;

(c) the details of investment likely to be made during 1995-96;

(d) the additional employees and branches to be provided in various parts of the capital during 1995-96 area-wise; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL SUPPLIES, CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION DEPTT. OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM (SHRI VENOD SHARMA): (a) It has been reported by the Super Bazar that during the Eighth Plan (1992-93 to 1994-95), they have received financial assistance of Rs. 36.80 lakhs, Rs. 20.00 lakhs and Rs. 20.00 lakhs from the Government and got share capital of Rs. 3.29 lakhs, 3.90 lakhs and 1.92 lakhs respectively from individuals, institutions and associated members.

(b) and (c) The financial assistance released by the Government to Super Bazar is for the purpose of opening of branches, renovation of branches, installation of generator sets and purchase of delivery vans.

During 1995-96, an amount of Rs. 40.00 lakhs has been allocated for Super Bazar for renovation and modernisation programme.

(d) and (e) It has been reported by the Super Bazar that recently a medicine outlet in Kasturba Gandhi Hospital near Jama Masjid, has been opened. Proposals for opening branches at the Badli Campus of Delhi Engineering College and St. Stephen's Hospital have been drawn up. Deployment of employees in the new Branches is to be made out of the existing staff strength.

Demand of Coal by Raichur Thermal Power Station in Karnataka

2171. SHRI K. RAHMAN KHAN: Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) what is the total annual requirement of coal by Raichur Thermal Power Station in Karnataka;

(b) the total Coal supplied to the Thermal Power Station during 1993-94, 1994-95 and so far in 1995-96; and

(c) what are the reasons for short supply of coal to Raichur Thermal Power Station?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) and (b) The details regarding coal demand for Raichur Thermal Power Station in Karnataka during 1993-94, 1994-95 and 1995-96 and despatches are as under:

	(In' 000 Tonnes)
Demand	
1993-94	3010
1994-95	2870
1995-96*	2372
Despatches	
1993-94	2741
1994-95	3095
1995-96*	2207

*(up to November, 95)

(c) Coal despatches to Raichur Thermal Power Station are increasing over the years. Primarily sporedic strikes in Singareni Collieries Company Limited